

In the Specification:

On page 7, please replace paragraph [0027], with the following paragraph:

[0027] According to the present invention, the power management logic also includes link speed control circuitry. During sleep or other lower power modes, in which the wake on LAN event detector [[33]] 36 is enabled, the link speed control circuitry forces the medium interface unit to a slower speed protocol which consumes significantly less power than the higher speed Gigabit Ethernet protocol. Thus, the adapter supports at least one higher speed protocol which consumes more power than is available in a lower power mode required according to the specifications of the device. It also supports at least one slower speed protocol which consumes less power. The power management logic forces the device into the slower speed protocol for support of the wake on LAN event detector [[33]] 36, or other low power monitoring activity.